## **Act for Peace and Kindness**

#peaceday #actforpeace
Peace Day Philly 2014



An act of peace and kindness can make a real difference for both the giver and the receiver. We encourage you to join us in the **#actforpeace** campaign. Commit to taking one simple action for peace and/or kindness from Monday, Sept. 15 - Sunday, Sept. 21 (Peace Day).

## What can YOU Do? Here are some ideas...

Reach out to someone that you think may need a kind word or a positive conversation.

Let someone go ahead of you in line at a store.

Take a step to forgive someone, whether privately or in conversation with that person. Resentment for a past wrong costs us our personal peace.

Be nice to someone who is behaving in a rude way - maybe they're having a bad day.

Donate to a peace-related cause that is important to you.

Help out a neighbor who might need a ride, help with their yard or someone to listen.

Give someone else a parking spot that you saw first or put a quarter or two in a meter if you notice it's almost up.

Do something that's kind to the planet or just learn more about <u>www.rootsandshoots.org</u>, the youth and environment program founded by UN Messenger of Peace Dr. jane Goodall.

Volunteer your time at a social service agency, food bank, school of community center. For ideas go to: <a href="http://volunteer.phila.gov">http://volunteer.phila.gov</a>

Thank someone in public service for the work that they do.

Build your own personal peace by sitting in silence for 5 minutes.

Tell someone important to you how much they mean to you.

For more ideas, please visit: <a href="http://www.dothedeed.org">http://www.dothedeed.org</a>; <a href="http://www.randomactsofkindness.org">http://www.randomactsofkindness.org</a>; <a href="http://www.randomactsofkindness.org">http://www.randomactsofkindness.org</a>;

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